

Some structural properties of ideal invariant injections

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Classical summable ideal

$$\mathcal{I}_S := \{A \subset \omega : \sum_{n \in A} \frac{1}{n} < \infty\}$$

Theorem

Let $f: \omega \rightarrow \omega$ be an increasing injection. The following conditions are equivalent:

- (i) f is bi- \mathcal{I}_d -invariant;
- (ii) $\underline{d}(f[\omega]) > 0$;
- (iii) there is $C \in \omega$ such that $f(n) \leq Cn$ for every $n \geq 1$;
- (iv) f is bi- $\mathcal{I}_{(1/n)}$ -invariant.

Lower density

$$\underline{d}(A) = \liminf \frac{\text{card}(A \cap n)}{n}$$

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